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THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Caucasian and the Opinion of others which we Can Endorse on the Various Topics of the Day.

Our young men should not be compelled to go from home to finish the education to fit them for the higher professional and scientific callings of life, and our University should be so fostered by the State as to put it on an equal plane with the best in the land. It has rendered good service to North Carolina and shed lustre upon her.—Wil. Star.

We heard a citizen of Clinton inquire a few days since, why the slow immigration could not be turned South, and especially to this portion of North Carolina. To this we would reply that if said citizen thinks that immigration will solve the problem of "bread winnin'" for us that he's sadly mistaken. It is not more people that we need but more enterprises and manufacturing industries; and this we can accomplish ourselves with the proper spirit of enterprise and co-operation. It is true we haven't the immense wealth of Northern millionaires, but where did they get their wealth? They made it, and nine-tenths of them through manufacturing. Just so we can do,—commence small establishments and let them gradually swell themselves with their growing profits. There is enough idle labor in Sampson county to-day to run a half dozen large factories, and there is enough capital that could be spread and saved if a large number would combine to start such enterprises, or at least to do enough to induce outside capital to invest. Shall we live the next ten years just as we are barely making both ends meet or shall we start a great industrial revolution in this section by inaugurating such enterprises? Either result can be realized at the end of a decade. Which will we accept?

Common sense! What is it? Who can define it? Who can put the label on the genuine article? His Honor Judge Shipp probably hit the nail on the head, in a certain sense, with a new and novel idea of this article at the last term of the Superior Court of Sampson. He defined common sense as the average sense or opinion of an indefinite number of individuals on any given question. That is, take the opinion of ten or one hundred men on some topic with which they are familiar and the general thread of their opinions would be the common sense view. But is there no such thing as individual common sense? Or will an individual be said to have common sense when his opinion will coincide with the average of the opinions of the many? Does Brother Baily use the term in this sense in his editorial of last week, "The Lord well Labors."

It is not very creditable to the farmers of Western North Carolina that one merchant in Hendersonville has imported from the West 5,000 bushels of corn this year and will import 10,000 bushels more before autumn. If there had been a crop failure in the section into which this Western corn has been shipped there would have been some good excuse for this, but in a land where corn grows well, and where abundant crops can be raised if planted, there is no well grounded reason for it. The farmer in North Carolina who expects to prosper and get upon an independent footing with his granary and meat house in the West will find himself mistaken, if he lives to the age of Methuselah.—Wil. Star.

EPISCOPAL COUNCIL.

FIRST DAY.

The Annual Council of the Diocese of East Carolina met in St. James' Church, Wilmington, on the 22nd ult., and held three days. The Council Sermon was preached by the Rev Thomas Atkinson, of Fayetteville, a grandson of the late Rev. Bishop Atkinson.

In the afternoon session the committee on the will of Miss Smith reported that the matter had been submitted to the courts and their decision gave one half of the bequest to this Diocese, this half being estimated at $15,000.

At night services were held in St. James' Church and a sermon was preached by the Rev. J. M Hillyar, of Goldsboro.

SECOND DAY.

In the morning the Bishop read his address and report of his work for the year just past, the report demonstrated that the Bishop had labored faithfully. His work would have been almost unremitting had he not suffered from two severe attacks of sickness, which prevented him from accomplishing as much as he had wished. This report was very interesting. The following is a summary of his year's work: Public services held, 158; sermons and addresses, 130; celebrations of Holy Eucharist, 59; baptisms, 10; confirmations, 207; ordinations, 3; consecrations of chapels, 1; lay readers licensed, 38.

The Bishop closed his report by reference to the admirable work performed in this city by the Sisterhood of the Good Shepherd at St. James' Home.

Remaining in the city several days after the close of the Council, this writer had the pleasure of visiting this home and listening to the singing and recitations of the children. Considering the ages and the lack of advantages in their home life, the singing and responses to the catachism and answers to questions on subjects of use in practical every day life, were admirable. These Sisters are, in an humble way, doing a wonderful amount of useful work—a work whose influence for good not only benefits the children themselves but extends to the homes where these children belong. After addressing the children in words intended for their encouragement and the encouragement of the Sisters who had taught them so well and so devotedly, I was shown specimens of carving done by the little boys, and of drawing and sewing done by the girls. The children are also taught how to cook. I was told that as many as 120 children had attended this institution at one time. I shall ever remember with pleasure the conversation I had with Sister Cecilia, who was in charge of this Home.

Mr. S. S. Nash, commissioner from the Diocese of North Carolina, addressed the Council on the subject of appropriating a portion of the legacy received by this Diocese under the will and from the estate of Miss Smith, to the support of a Rector at the University of North Carolina. He also, in the name of his Diocese, invited the next Council of East Carolina to join that of North Carolina in celebrating the centennial of the organization of the first Convention of churchmen in North Carolina to be held in Calvary Church, Tarboro, next May.

By resolution the Council cheerfully accepted the invitation of the Council of North Carolina to unite with them in the centennial services to be held at Tarborough.

They also fixed the 14th day of May, 1890, as the day of the next annual meeting of the Council, and Greenville, in Pitt county, as the place.

They respectfully declined to accede to the request of the Diocese of North Carolina to make an annual appropriation for the support of a Rector at Chapel Hill.

By resolution the securities and monies received from the legacy of Miss Smith were applied to the increase of the Permanent Episcopal Fund.

THIRD DAY.

On the morning of the third day an earnest and protracted debate sprang up in regard to the recommendation of the Finance Committee that there should be a capitation tax put upon each communicant in the Diocese in order to raise the current expenses of the Diocese, which includes the Bishop's salary, &c.

Col. Atkinson warmly supported the capitation tax.

Rev. Robt. Strange opposed the per capita tax and addressed the Council at length, earnestly urging only one kind of assessment. He suggested that it be made on a per centage plan, based upon the expenses of each parish.

Maj. Hughes opposed the substitute offered by Mr. Strange as putting a premium on Parishes not to do their duty.

Col. DeRosset moved to lay the whole matter on the table, which motion was passed.

The chief feature of the afternoon session was the report of the committee appointed by the Council of 1888 to report to this Council on the "Proposed changes in the Prayer Book."

Justice cannot be done this admirable report without giving it in full. This, its length forbids us to do. In the main while accepting the changes already made it discourages any further change unless the work of revision be submitted to "a conference of all the branches of the Anglican Communion." For my part I dread the issue of this revision and could wish it were well through with. What with revising the Bible, revising the Prayer Book and revising the Hymnal, we have had quite enough of revision and many of us begin to long for a settled basis to rest on.

FRIDAY EVENING

there was a service in St. James' and a sermon was preached by the Rev. J. W. Turner, Rector of St. Paul's church, of Clinton.

On Saturday afternoon many of the Council, myself among the number, enjoyed an excursion to Carolina Beach, in response to an invitation tendered the Council by three of the city parishes.

On Sunday morning St. Paul's church was consecrated, Bishop Watson preaching the sermon with usual vigor.

Among those who took part in the services was the Rector from Clinton.

On Tuesday I had a pleasant visit to the Beach beyond the Sound at Wrightsville. T.

FREE LABOR VS. SLAVE LABOR.

"How do your people generally regard free labor as compared with slave?"

This question was asked by a Star reporter.

It was answered as follows by Gen. V. D. Garner, of Norfolk, Va.:

"There is no comparison. Free labor is doing wonders, not only for Virginia, but for the whole South. It is teaching us diversified farming, and giving us all the products with which to feed and clothe ourselves, rather than the single staple of cotton, which was so long called "King." Counting the value of slaves lost by war, the South is richer today than ever before in its history, and its increase in material wealth during the next ten years will be greater than during the past twenty, for as they become more adapted to and contented with free labor it will not only become more useful, but that labor will rapidly accumulate for itself, which is always the wealth of any community,"

The seventeen year locusts have made their appearance around Asheville. The Asheville citizen says:

Much interest is manifested in the little insects which are now swarming in countless millions over the trees and shrubs in forest, grove and garden of this section of our State. Our conclusion is that our visitors do not belong to the family of locusts which were one of the plagues of Egypt, and forcibly described in many portions of Holy Writ, but are of the species cicada, and the lineal descendants of those, who soventeen long years ago, deposited their tiny eggs in the twigs of the very trees which their offspring now infest.

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The first signs of their coming were numerous eruptions of clay over the surface of the ground, which, being overturned, would disclose a hole about three-fourths of an inch in diameter, where the little fellow might be seen beating an ignominious retreat to depths unknown.

The record of the appearance of these pests in the United States was 1749.

Mrs Mimosa—"Now, Johnnie, go and kiss your little sweetheart and make up"

"Johnnie—"No'm, I won't."

Mrs. Mimosa—"Go and tell her how much you love her and how sorry you are."

Johnnie—"Guess not. Pa says he got into a breach of promise case for tellin' a girl that, and had to marry the old thing. I ain't runnin' no risks, I ain't."

"Pa, will you get me a kite if I prove that a dog has ten tails?" "Yes, my son." "Well, one dog has one more tail than no dog, hasn't he?" "Yes." "Well, no dog has nine tails; and if one dog has one more tail than no dog then one dog must have ten tails. Hand over the kite, please." The kite came over.

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SUBJECT:--A PLEA TO YOUNG MEN TO ADOPT FARMING AS A PROFESSION.

The Farm the Great Antidote.

BELLEVOIR HIGH SCHOOL,
Ora, N. C., May 31st.

The closing exercises of Bellevoir High School were held on Friday. The morning was dark and rainy, yet a large crowd braved the elements to hear the address by the orator of the day, who had made himself famous as a stump speaker, in the recent State campaign. Mr. D. B. Nicholson, of the Clinton bar, the popular and efficient Reading Clerk of the last two Senates, in a very timely and happy manner introduced to the anxious audience, Hon. Geo. W. Sanderlin, Auditor of the State of North Carolina. Mr. Sanderlin arose amid applause and in his most genial and appropriate introductory remarks put his audience and himself on the best of terms.

He said that during the campaign he was unable to come to this county and was happy to have the present opportunity to meet such a number of the good people of Sampson. He was doubly pleased to come on an occasion like this, for he had understood that Sampson led the State with fourteen such high schools, which like beacon lights stand upon the moral and educational shores of a nation's progress. The tendencies of human nature are either to brood upon the past and conjure up bright pictures of what "might have been," or to foster hope by painting a roseate prospectus of what may be. In fact the poetry of manhood is, 'when I was a boy;" the poetry of boyhood is, "when I will be a man." This tendency to look forward into the future or back into the past was recognized by Johnson in the opening chapter of Rasselas:

"Ye who listen with credulity to the whispers of fancy, and pursue with eagerness the phantoms of hope, who expect that age will perform the promises of youth, and that the deficiencies of the present day will be supplied by the morrow; attend to the history of Rasselas, prince of Abyssinia."

Also by Gray, in his Elegy, when musing upon the latent capabilities that lay lost and buried under the sod in a country church yard:

Perhaps, in this neglected spot, is laid
Some heart, once pregnant with celestial fire;
Hands that the rod of empire might have sway'd,
Or waked to ecstacy the living lyre.

But Knowledge, to their eyes, her ample page,
Rich with the spoils of time, did ne'er unroll;
Chill Penury, repressed their noble rage,
And froze the genial current of the soul.

Full many a gem of purest ray serene,
The dark, unfathom'd caves of ocean bear;
Full many a flower is born to blush unseen,
And waste its sweetness on the desert air.

Some village Hampden, that, with dauntless breast,
The little tyrant of his fields withstood;
Some mute, inglorious Milton here may rest;
Some Cromwell, guiltless of his country's blood.

The applause of listening senates to command;
The threats of pain and ruin to despise;
To scatter plenty o'er a smiling land,
And read their history in a nation's eyes.

Now if Gray could philosphize like this upon the "might have been," amid the mouldering ruins of the empire of the dead, how much more do I feel like philosophizing upon the may be amid the progressive evidences of the empire of the living?

Matthew Arnold when entering the school at Rugby, always lifted his hat in the presence of the students. By way of explanation he said that he did it because it was probable that he was in the presence of some of the great and good citizens of the future. So to-day I feel like uncovering in the presence these young people, and at the same time entering an appeal to them upon their future course. Hence my subject:

A plea addressed to young men in favor of farming as a profession or calling in life.

It is true that there are many other professions that hold out more allurements to the young man than farming, but it is also true that there are thousands of immunities and blessings in store for the honest faithful and intelligent king of the soil to which the members of other professions are entire strangers, of which the great bulk of the young men of to-day are blindly ignorant. A reporter interviewed a graduating class of thirty-nine, at a Georgian college, as to the intended professions of each member, with the following result: 13 selected Law; 9 medicine; 6 preaching; 4 merchandising; 3 teaching; 2 editors; 1 a mechanic; 1 a farmer. Only two of the entire class preferred to be producers; hence how important that we magnify the high calling of nature's noblemen, of those who produce something—who increase the world's wealth.

But the only trouble about this noble profession is that everybody knows all about it except farmers themselves. Editors know all about farming. They can tell exactly when is the proper time for pumpkin pie trees to bloom and bear. Politicians know exactly what kind of seed is suited to the various soils of each individual farmer—just before election. College graduates give the poor farmer valued pointers and classic advice about how to check agricultural decay in their commencement orations; the preacher occasionally gives him a meek little homily from the pulpit on how to manage his business, and so on, with all the other so-called learned professions. (The speaker very wittily excepted himself.) But all this is very natural for the members of each one of such professions realize that their very existence depend upon the farmers' success.

The fascinating and instructive speaker then proceeded to formulate his special pleas to young men to adopt farming as the noblest profession.

1st. Because there is no profession in which the motto: "*Esse quam videri malo*" is truer than in farming. There is less superficiability with the farmer, not only because it tells with him sooner than with others, but also because the very nobleness and independence of his work is unsuited to the fostering and thriving of pretenses and shams. It is a nice thing to be an editor and write learned articles about things he knows nothing about and which no one else can understand. It is nice thing to be a doctor, scattering health and burying the results of his ignorance, or when he does not know how to cure a simple case of colic, to look wise about his head and call it—It is a nice thing to be a lawyer and understand that the proper use of words is to conceal the truth, though clearly ignorant of the fundamental principles of law. It is a nice thing to be a politician and know how to hide demagoguery behind his pretended love for the "dear people." It is a nice thing to be a school-teacher, save the mark—a school-*keeper* and teach children short cuts to knowledge and hide moral and intellectual incompetency behind sanctamoniousness and generalities. How can farmers evade all these deceits and shams? By elevating themselves to the position of educated and scientific farmers. Give your children a sound rudimentary education by all means, and give them a complete and thorough education if possible. When you put money in the bank of knowledge, none, save God himself, can destroy it.

2nd. Farmers enjoy an immunity from over work and early break down. In this high pressure age men in nearly every other profession soon wear out and become mental and physical wrecks. It is not over manual work, for that can be relieved by a little sleep and rest, but it is worry and an overtaxing of the brain with business details. Therefore farming is the antidote to worry—the kind of worrying that kills.

3rd. It is an an antidote to dissipation and crime, follies and temptation—the greatest crimes of the day.

4th. It is the antidote to political excitement.

5th. It is an antidote to the slavery to fashion of wives and daughters.

6th. It is an an antidote to chronic inertia, sometimes called laziness. For who ever heard of a lazy farmer! Though, under ordinary circumstances, every man is as lazy as circumstances will permit. But he must work is ever present to the farmer.

7th. It is the antidote to the modern craze for wealth. Also an antidote to the want of wealth, for no class of men know better how to bear poverty, and besides, the farmer is today

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OUR MAIL SERVICE.

THE IMPORTANCE THAT NONE BUT EFFICIENT AND TRUSTWORTHY POSTAL CLERKS BE EMPLOYED.

A Few Reflections by an Ex-Clerk.

[Special to Caucasian.]

MR. EDITOR: As I have been for the last two years employed in the Railway Service of the United States, and upon one of the principal fast lines of America, (A. C. L.,) it has been my lot to observe the workings of this ponderous and gigantic method of distributing and dispatching the mail through every nook and corner of this broad land of ours. Take the daily papers of New York city—the Press, say, at 12 o'clock at night, is started, and by 5 o'clock thousands of papers have been run off, folded, placed in canvass sacks, and are flying on to their destination; and in less than 36 hours the people of Florida are reading papers that were published in New York over a thousand miles away. Much to the credit of our railroads is this so.

I might say the mail system of the United States is ubiquitous; railroads, steamboats, stage routes, horse routes, and where the country is rough and jagged, even foot routes. Some of these letters cost the government over five and ten dollars to send them, yet the aggregate whole reduces the expense of all, and thus it goes on; and to-day we can send a letter anywhere in the United States for two cents, and anywhere there is an established route in the world for five cents. All of this work is performed by 4,500 postal clerks. If they do not traverse the road they make up pouches for those points and forwarded by express trains. So we might say every foot of railroad in this whole country has been traversed by a postal clerk every 24 hours, and he has got to work about eighteen out of twenty-four, continually on his feet, and as rapidly as his hands can move. Were he to dally five minutes as the train flew along, some business letter would be carried by; some letter from an absent son to a fond mother delayed, and the sweetheart would sigh and sigh, "for the letter that never came."

Not only must he be able to work, but he must study like a student, or he must have a memory so strong that it predominates over the other faculties, and is what we might term a meekness; and if the memory be not strong he must pound and pound, hard, dry, abstract, and disjunctive names until it is a part of his nature. In fact he must do everything so well that if the train were hurled from the track and you were to ask him an office, and he could instantly tell you.

To give you an instance, it was my lot to witness a terrible wreck. The postal clerk was badly bruised. He had been distributing mail for the State of South Carolina. I approached, laid my hand on his poor bruised head, asked, "How do you feel?" He caught the words How and Field,—two offices in that State. And there came from his dry lips the husky whisper, "How is in Darlington county, exception, Wiem, Jack." Field is in Pickens county, Charlotte and Atlanta straight. The men who composed the postal clerks under Mr. Cleveland's administration were above the average. For neither Democrats or Republicans were retained on any other grounds than proficiency. But under Mr. Harrison's administratson Democrats were dismissed regardless of examinations and qualifications to make room for negroes to worry the people of the South. How long?

The postal service is the most important of all the government branches. For every communication, both official and private, is entrusted directly to the care of the postal clerk. We are almost at the mercy of these men. They see each other every day. And how quick a concert of action could be promulgated to quiet work. (For its more like work than holding an office) and our country would be utterly paralized, for no man, be he ever so bright, could commit to memory twenty or twenty-five thousand names (more words than was used by the greatest writer in the English language) under a couple of years; in the meantime what would become of your mail? Suppose just before an election these men all belong to one party. They quit. Each man has a right to quit. You could not prosecute him for treason, and the law prohibits his place being supplied on. So you can see the best and most trusty of men should be employed in this pecular branch of the government. As we can't always do this, our salvation now depends upon the establishment of a Telegraphic Postal System. You say there is no danger in this! There is! I know whereof I speak.

Respectfully,
J. C. SLOCUMB.

WOMAN'S SPHERE.

Dress.

It is every woman's duty, first to herself, second to her family, and third to society to appear neat, attractive and to an advantage in every way possible.

(From Godey's Lady Book.)

Borders, or rows of ribbon, or insertion, or clusters of fine tucks trim the skirts of many gowns.

Latticed borders of narrow black velvet ribbon, laid over light cashmere, are on dark cashmere skirts, and that part of the bodies above the corselet also has this velvet treillis pattern.

Yellow appears in many ways this season, as entire gowns, and as accessories in gowns of almost any color. Red in old rose tints, Titian red with yellow shading, and the less poetically, named brick reds, are very fashionably made up in summer's fabrics.

A new caprice combines surah silk with cotton in the combination of a costume. The vest and font, or side of skirt of surah, draping upon it the fine, new cotton fabrics, which cost as much as the silk.

THE TABLE.

It has been said, "there are but a few things on which health and happiness depend more than on the manner in which food is cooked."

Sponge Fingers.

Beat the yolks of five eggs until light colored and thick, add one tablespoonful of lemon juice, one cup of powdered sugar and beat again five minutes, then sift in lightly three-quarters of a cup of sifted flour; if possible have pans that come for baking these fingers, but if you cannot get them, arrange them in shape on white greased paper in a baking-pan, dust them with powdered sugar and bake a delicate brown in a quick oven.

French Rolls.

Two quarts of flour, one pint of milk, one half cupful of sugar, one-half cake of compressed yeast, one even tablespoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of lard. Rub the lard and salt into the flour. Scald the milk and let it cool to blood heat. Add sugar and yeast to the milk, make a hole in the flour, and pour the mixture in without stirring; set it away in a warm place, well covered, until morning. Knead thoroughly, let it rise until very light, and if you have time, knead it down a couple of times, letting it get very light between each time. Roll out, cut into rounds, spread with a little melted butter and double them over; let them rise in the pans, and bake in hot oven.

Queen Cakes.

One cup of butter, one cup of finely powdered loaf sugar, five eggs, two cups of flour. Cream the butter, add the sugar and cream again. Add the well beaten yolks and flavoring, then the flour and beaten whites alternately. Bake in small round tins and, when cool, ice. It makes a nice variety to divide the dough and add a few currants to part of it, and to another part add spice to taste.

BAD ON LOW NECKS.

Fashion has rung the death-knell of what was once the comfort of long and thin-necked women. Half of the smart women of Paris have given up collars altogether, and wear their gowns cut closely around the neck. The effect at first is very odd, after the tall collars and rather showy neckwear which have been worn with tailor-made gowns during the past three or four years. But when the wearer has a pretty neck the effect is taking. The owners of scrawny or unlovely necks would never adopt the fashion in America.—Wil. Messenger.

SHE WAS.

We overheard a girl remark to her beau, the other night at the lawn party, that she was a great stickler for euphony. And he gallantly responded, "Those three words—you-for-me—fill life with thrilling strains of soul-entrancing melody." And then she gulped down another spoon of ice cream, bit out a shoe-vamp like morsel of cake, and seemed contented and delighted with the way matters were progressing.—Wilson Mirror.

CHILDREN'S CORNER.

Something Interesting for the Little Folks.

[Prepared for THE CAUCASIAN each week by W. A. Johnson.]

THE SUM OF IT ALL.

The boy by addition grows,
And suffers no subtraction.
Who multiplies the thing he knows,
And carries every fraction.
Who well divides his precious time,
The due proportion giving,
To sure success aloft will climb,
Interest compound receiving.

BABY HAS GONE TO SCHOOL.

The baby has gone to school; ah me!
What will the mother do,
With never a call to button or pin,
Or tie a little shoe?
How can she keep herself busy all day
With the little "hindering thing" away?

Another basket to fill with lunch;
Another "good-bye" to say,
And the mother stands at the door to see
Her baby march away;
And turns with a sigh that is half relief,
And half a something akin to grief.

She thinks of a possible future morn,
When the children one by one
Will go from their home out into the world,
To battle with life alone,
And not even the baby be left to cheer
The desolate home of that future year.

She picks up garments here and there,
Thrown down in careless haste,
And tries to think how it would seem
If nothing were displaced;
If the hours were always as still as this,
How could she bear the loneliness?

A Cat's "Pauses."

"What are pauses?" asked the teacher of the primary class.

"Things that grow on cats," piped the small boy at the foot.

A Dependent Sentence.

Teacher—"What is a dependent sentence?"

Boy—"One that hangs on by his own *clause*."

How it Felt.

A boy's description of having a tooth pulled expresses it about as well as anything we have seen: "Just before it killed me the tooth came out."

A Secret With God.

Jessie had kept a journal ever since she could write a letter; but she would not let anybody see it,

One day her mother asked her why she would not let anybody see it.

She said, "I have a secret mamma."

"But you must tell me all your secrets, dear," said her mother.

"Mamma," said Jessie, very softly, "I have a secret with God. God is helping me to be a better girl; and I am writing in my journal what I have done every day that will please God."

Home Happiness.

Dear boys and girls, you can add very much to home happiness, especially if you have a mother who is not very strong, or a grandpa or a grandma who is aged and feeble, by being thoughtful and mannerly.

There is a right way to open and shut the door; a right way to move from one part of the room to the other; a right way to sit down, to rise, to hold a book—a right way to do everything that is worth doing at all.

And, yes, we have known children to give their parents sad hearts by neglect of these little home duties. It is more easy to do these right than to do them wrong.

One very ugly habit some young people have is that of calling aloud the name of a brother or sister, or even that of a father or mother, who may be in another room, or up stairs or in the yard. A polite person will always go to the one whose attention is required and speak in a low and modest tone of voice.

The home might be made far more pleasant by observance of many of these little matters.

Wise Words.

If we knew the exact value of things we should be comparatively free from envy.

My dear boy, don't begin a fight, but once begun stay to the finish and pick up the fragments.

What a man can't prove never ruined any one yet; it is what he can prove that makes it hot for him.

Don't forget this, my boy: There are ten thousand ways to miss the bull's-eye and only one way to hit it.

There are two things that everybody thinks they can do better than anybody else—punch the fire and edit a paper.

There is a pedantry in all things. Any man who loads up a double barrel gun to kill a cock-roach with is a cockroach pedant.

There are lots of things in this world we can't explain, and that is just what makes the things we can explain the more certain.

Pride is located half way between vice and virtue, and a little of it won't hurt a saint, and a good deal of it often helps a sinner.

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THE CAUCASIAN'S RECORD.

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One year ago it was less than 800. During the last 12 weeks we have mailed over 12,600 copies.

The recent floods have wrought havoc and desolation in many parts of our country. Bridges on many of the principal lines of railroad have been washed away and traffic and transportation greatly hindered. Along the Conemaugh river in Pennsylvania the results have been most disastrous. On this river was situated the largest artificial lake in the country, and when the surging waters of the flood poured into it from the up country the dam gave way and scenes of desolation and death beyond description followed. The town of Johnstown, Pa., was swept from the face of the earth almost in an instant and a great number of its unfortunate inhabitants perished with it. The following telegraphic report to the Wilmington Star gives some idea of the horrible results:

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June, 3rd.—As yet there is no telling how many lives have been lost. Adjutant General Hastings, who has charge of everything, stated this morning that he supposed that there were at least two thousand people under the burning debris, but the only way to find out how many lives were lost was to take a census of the people now living, and subtract that from the census before the flood. It is a most distressing sight to see the relatives of people who are supposed to be lost standing around watching each body as it is pulled out, and acting more like maniacs than sane people.

The water has subsided to a great extent and the streets in the main part of town are free from water. The falling water has laid bare the terrible work of the flood, and the full extent of the terrible disaster is only being ascertained now. The streets are one sickening, foul smelling mass of wood and debris, and the work of searching for dead bodies has only begun.

The latest estimates put the loss of life at from ten to twelve thousand. It is impossible to get any account of the number lost.

Thousands of dollars have been raised all over the country and sent to the relief of those who were spared, and a sanitary commission has been sent by President Harrison to direct the removing and burying of the decaying animal flesh, to prevent a pestilence following even worse than the calamity.

CENTENNIAL COMMENCEMENT.

[For THE CAUCASIAN]

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., June 4th.

Chapel Hill is a lovely and delightful place at all times, especially so at this season of the year. But the fact that this is the Centennial Commencement gives to the place and the University an additional interest. A large crowd is already here and it will be simply tremendous by Thursday.

Bishop Duncan, of South Carolina, preached the Baccalaureate Sermon to the graduating class yesterday. Probably the most interesting feature of the week took place this morning—the Classday exercises by the Seniors.

This afternoon the speech by the representatives of the societies were delivered in the Memorial Hall. To-night the reunions of all the members of the societies will be interesting and enjoyable.

To-morrow will be given up entirely to the Centennial Exercises. At 11 A. M. the address will be delivered by Senator Ransom. At 12 M. will be the meeting of the Alumni Association. At 2 P. M comes the dinner at which the Alumni and trustees will be present, and also delegates from other colleges, a number of whom will be in attendance from the leading institutions of the country. The members of each class will sit together, and there will be speeches and talks. It is expected that this will be one of the most entertaining events of the celebration. At 8 P. M. there will be special memorial exercises with a roll call of the by classes and short speeches by representatives of each class

The usual Commencement exercises of Thursday will be carried out. Will give THE CAUCASIAN a full report for next issue. E.

United States Senator Jos. E. Brown of Georgia is dangerously ill at his home in Atlanta. From reports there is little room to hope for his recovery.

CUMBERLAND NEWS.

ANOTHER RAILROAD FOR FAYETTEVILLE A PROBABILITY.

EX-PRESIDENT DAVIS WILL COME.

Senator Ransom to Deliver the Centennial Oration.

[Reg. Cor. CAUCASIAN.]

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., June 3rd, 1889.

A meeting of the corporators of the Fayetteville & Albemarle railroad is called for June 15th, for the purpose of organizing under the charter. An organization and a small sum of money secures this road for this city.

The commencement exercises of the State Colored Normal School in this city took place last week. Prof. J. F. K. Simmons delivered the address. A number of white people attended and say the exercises were very creditable.

Mr. J. M. Lamb's little son seven years old was shot in the chest by a little negro boy who was fooling with a pistol. The negro ran away but the little boy is getting well.

Over 150 accessions have been made to the various churches here since the Pearson meeting More are being made every Sunday, and the total will not fall far short of 200.

Rev. F. R. Underwood, of Sampson, filled the pulpit of Rev. R. T. Gray, of the Baptist Church, and Mr. Gray filled Mr. Underwood's. We have heard several speak of Mr. Underwood's sermon as being thoughtful and ornate.

The C. F. & Y. V. railroad is abreast of the times. The Hay Street crossing has been furnished with the latest improved railway crossing gates. As a train approaches the gates fall, extending across the street, and a gong strikes to warn people of the approach. It is a protection the public have needed for a long time.

The North bound train on the C. F. & Y. V. railroad ran over an old colored woman on last Wednesday. She was alive at last accounts.

An adjourned meeting of the citizens for perfecting arrangements for the Centennial next November was held Thursday afternoon. The committee announced that Senator Matt. W. Ransom has accepted the invitation to deliver the oration. The committee of 50 will meet this week and sub committees be appointed. A letter from ex-President Davis since the meeting conveys the gratifying news that his first letter was properly construed as he intends to be here, and may be expected. A private letter from him also assures that he will be here. So what doubt there was is dissipated. Fayetteville will celebrate this occasion on a big scale, because it commemorates a big thing and she will have big men with her.

A number of teachers from here will attend the meeting of the Assembly at Morehead City. We learn that one or two are bound for the European trip.

John Reynolds is in jail on the charge of assaulting a ten year old girl. This makes two prisoners in the jail awaiting trial at the July term of court for similar charges.

The completion of the Maxton & Rowland railroad gives this city an all rail connection with Charleston, South Carolina. It is hoped this will hurry the completion of the Short Cut South of here. There is only a gap of 25 miles.

There is a general desire here that a military school be established. There is a good deal of talk and nothing is needed but a competent man with nerve and pluck, and we will have a great success.

Huckleberries have made their appearance on this market. They are very nice, but not equal to the celebrated "Sampson Blues."

Your correspondent read with a great deal of pleasure the account of the closing exercises of Salem High School, together with the sketch of Hon. Kemp P. Battle's address. The benefits of such a school can not be estimated in dollars and cents.

Mr. W. P. Fife's little girl, Bessie, died on last Sunday afternoon. She had been a great but patient little sufferer. Mr. Fife has determined to become an evangelist and will leave in a short while for Asheville, where he will study during the summer with Rev. R. G. Pearson, who has become a warm friend of his. His family will remain here.

The fine rains came in good time, as the crops were suffering. There was some too much in this county.

This is the Centennial of the University's charter existence, but not of its real existence. The charter was granted in 1789, but was six years before its doors were open to students. This centennial ought to be followed by one on a still grander scale in 1895.

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besides, the farmer is today truly in a better condition than the factory hands and laborers in all other vocations of life. Mythology tells us that Hercules could never conquer Aulius, son of Tellus, until he allured him away from mother earth, from which he received his strength. So the honest, industrious and intelligent farmer can never fail till he is allured into other professions.

8th. Farming inspires a love for freedom and liberty in its broadest sense, therefore it is an antidote to the centralizing tendencies of the day. Therefore they are justified in forming alliances or any similar organizations to check such tendences. Our Constitution has always found its staunchest defenders in the farming class. It makes no difference where the farmer is, nor under what conditions and circumstances he may be, yet he is always the quickest to resent oppression—and therefore it is to be hoped that the South will never lose its characteristics as an agricultural section.

9th. There never was a time when there was such a tendency to skepticism. Farming is the antidote to this, for a constant communion with nature naturally leads its votaries up to a noble religion. The farmer with a heart and soul and the least sensibility "finds God everywhere and in everything."

Lastly, in farming (or rather in the garden) was found the blessings of married life.

This advice comes last, but would profitably be put into practice first.

At this point a heavy shower came up and stopped the inimitable speaker just as he was about to regale the young people with a treat which they would have remembered and enjoyed, not only through courtship and honeymoon, but even all through married life.

A review like the above is necessarily very imperfect, for it is impossible to do such a speech justice on paper. You who did not hear him have lost his genial manner and facinating delivery, the presence of which makes a poor speech supremely interesting and the absence of which makes a good one tame and dull.

It is reported that Whitelaw Reid, U. S. Minister to France, has taken up his residence in a house which costs him $20,000 a year, $3,000 more than his salary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALE OF LAND.

THE UNDERSIGNED, UNder a decree of the Superior Court of Sampson county, having been appointed commissioner to sell the lands hereinafter described, will, in pursuance of a decree of said court, sell by public sale, at the courthouse door in Clinton, on the 8th day of July, 1889, for cash, the following tract of land, situated in Franklin township, Sampson county, on the west side of Black River and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a cypress at the mouth of Bloody Bluff Cove, thence north 45, west 50 poles to the run of Spring branch, thence up said run about northwest 127 poles to a black gum in the branch, thence south 45, west 108 poles to a pine on the west side of the Negro Head road, thence south 81, east 53 poles to the edge of Flat Bay, thence with the edge of the bay a northwest course 180 poles to the road leading from Newkirk's bridge to Andrew's bridge, thence as the said road runs north 61, east 290 poles, thence north 50, east 32 poles to a pine, thence north 86, east 105 poles to a stake on a branch, thence north 50 east 36 poles, thence south 60, east 12 poles to a black gum on the road leading to the saw mill, thence south 76, east to and with a ditch 66 poles to the turn of the ditch, thence the ditch north 72, east 20 poles, thence south 20, east 54 poles to a sweet gum, thence south 63, east 77 poles to a white oak, thence north 86, east to a persimmon tree, thence, leaving the ditch, south 65, east 12 poles to a four limbed oak on the bank of the river near Malpuss landing, thence down the river to the beginning; containing 607 acres, more or less.

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☞[THE CAUCASIAN was adopted as the official organ of the County Alliances by the County Alliance, January 19th.☜

STRAW POND ALLIANCE, NO. 580.

At our last meeting a query was brought up that the tax on guano be reduced. It was decided in favor of the affirmative.

Resolved, That the Farmers' Alliance establish banks of our own.

After debate it was decided in favor of the affirmative—that it would be wise that each and every County Alliance in North Carolina to establish a bank of their own.

B. Z. BLACKBURN, Sect'y.
May 30th, 1889.

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CLINTON, N. C.,—JUNE 6, 1889.

Notice.

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Index to New Advertisements.

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LOCALS.

—A new resident on Methodist Church Street. "His" name is —— Partrick.

—If "cleanliness is next to Godliness," then the streets of Clinton are near to Sheol. But they will now improve with the departure of his swineship.

—The Closing Exercises of Poplar Grove High School, Prof. J. C. Alderman principal, takes place on Friday, the 7th inst. F. R. Cooper, Esq., of the Clinton bar, delivers the Literary address.

To-day railway connection is made with the North. The rush with truck, delayed for several days; will be tremendous. The only trouble is, we fear that the increase of the Yankee's appetite has not been commensurate with the delay.

—The stockholders of the Sampson County Agricultural Society will notice a call from H. E. Faison in another column to meet in his office Saturday week. We hope they will, while convened, discuss and decide favorably upon holding a fair here next fall.

—Rains have been excessive for the last week and in the north and west reports show it extremely so with much damage to life and property. Truck at this point and in all Eastern Carolina is ruining, but can not be shipped on account of breaks in the various railway lines.

—"The Fast Young Man" was the subject of Rev. Mr. Meeks' discourse at the Baptist Church last Sunday night, from the text, "Is the young man Absalom safe?" II Samuel xviii, 29th. Some striking pictures of the rebellious son, the fop and the dude were drawn. Absalom, the "fast" and ungrateful son of David was held up as an example of the "fast young man," and his untimely end pointed out as a warning to those of a "fast" inclination. Men, Mr. W. said, are not to be admired for delicacy of features, but for physical and intellectual beauty, to women alone delicate beauty and soft white hands belong. A womanly man, he said, is no more to be admired than a manly woman. Throughout his sermon, and particularly while dwelling on the fop and the dude, Mr. M. occasionally directed some witty shafts at the "fast young man," and smiles and serious mien alternately played upon the faces of the congregation.

Personals.

Mr. Ed. Wooten, of Columbus, is visiting in town.

Miss Madge Faison returned last night from Peace Institute.

Miss Bettie Murphy returned last night from Salem Female College.

Prof. W. M. Brooks is spending the summer with his family in Chatham.

Misses Florence Faison and Christine Harmon, who have been spending the last few days at Dr. A. M. Lee's, returned to Elliot yesterday morning.

Miss Katie Cromartie, who hasbeen spending a few months in Kinston, passed through Clinton last Saturday, returning to her home in Bladen county.

Mrs. W. G. Hubbard returns from a visit to Wilmington this evening ecompanied by her brother, Mr. W. S. Holmes, who will remain off the road a few days recuperating.

All Through the County.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

☞Send us the news from your township for this column.☜

SOUTH CLINTON.

Mr. Robinson Boykin had watermelon vines fourteen feet long and blossoming on the first instant.

During the thunder and hail storm on the evening of the 26th ult., lightning struck a tree in the yard of Mr. James Shipp, at the county farm. To the tree was fastened a clothes wire which extended to several posts across the yard. The electric current went down to the wire, and leaving the tree divided, one prong followed the wire, splitting every post and going down the last one into the ground, the other prong jumping to a barbed wire on top of the fence, a few feet distant, tearing at least seventy-five yards of the wire from the fence, and splitting every post. There was a lightning rod within twenty feet of the tree that was struck.

TAYLOE'S BRIDGE.

The wild cats are playing havoc with the lambs. Messrs. A. J. Johnson and William Warren have lost several lately.

Mr. R. B. Robinson is erecting a new dwelling near Clear Run.

N. R. J.

MINGO.

T. I. Strickland was surprised last Saturday morning to find a large bear's track that measured eight inches in length and five in width. The neighborhood is very much exercised over the probable presence of his bearship.

Our farmers are so busy since the beautiful rains on Friday 'til I fear they seldom remember each other's existence. Crops are looking very well at present.

Measels are the topic of the day and our physicians are very busy.

Rev. A. B. Alderman is very sick, but is improving slowly.

Rev. Mr. Farrell, of Dunn, was to preach at Spring Branch Sunday, but failed to get there; so the disappointment was filled by Rev. J. A. Dawson, who preached an excellent sermon.

SHRUB.

Corn is looking well in this section, but cotton is not as good as usual.

Mr. Frank Edwards had the misfortune last Sunday evening to lose his horse by lightning.

NEWTON GROVE.

Corn is small, but is taking a start to grow. Cotton is looking fairly well.

Mr. J. W. Westbrook has made many improvements on his new farm at Newton Grove.

Mr. Samson Warren will build a handsome residence in the near future.

The members of Newton Grove Methodist church Sunday school are taking great interest in their work.

LISBON.

Mr. C. H. Bronson's house caught fire last Monday, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

Mrs. D. L. Herring left Mondoy on a visit to friends and relatives in Macon and Warrenton, N. C.

Miss Minnie Lamb, who has been attending Salem High School, is home for vacation.

Mr. W. A. Hobbs' school closes next Friday the 7th.

Capt. Bradshaw has moved his convict camp from near here to below Union Bridge.

Great Coharie is quite high owing to the recent heavy rains.

MCDANIELS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Strickland and little Julius Carl, of Cumberland, have been visiting Mrs. H. J. Watson, of this township. Also Mrs. Frank Blocker and children, who have been living in Florida, for several years, are on a visit to relatives in this township. We wish them much pleasure during their stay with us.

SLUG.

We seldom ever see our township represented through the columns of your valuable paper, and we do not think we should remain silent, for we can boast of as good crops and as many huckleberries as any township in our county, the owners of which are expecting much profit.

Mr. J. O. Culbreth has just completed his handsome new store at Boykin's bridge.

Mr. T. R. Langdon will soon open a store at McDaniels' X Roads.

HALLS.

Now that the schools have nearly all closed, the lads and lassies seem to feel at a loss what to be at.

One of our neighbors went out the other day and perched himself on the bank of a stream with rod and line and in a short time went his way with ten fine "jacks."

Miss Maggie Barnes, of Cumberland, is visiting the Misses McPhail.

Mrs. T. M. Ferrell is spending sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs G. W. Hobbs.

We are pained to announce the death of Mr. A. B. Barbuey, which sad event occurred the 1st instant. He leaves a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

It is worth a long ride to any one who is fond of fruit trees to pay a visit to the hospitable gentleman, Rufus Weeks, in this township, near Hobton, and take a peep into his nursery. I saw there not long since blooms on several young trees (two years old) from the ground to the top. One tree in particular, of the "Shockley kind," two feet and ten inches high, had ten blooms and twenty-two apples on it. I don't see the point in not patronizing a home industry, when trees are grafted and grown here; of course they are adapted to our climate. He has two or three thousand fine young trees and only ten cents each. Just think of it.

Crops are looking very ordinary here on account of dry weather; but glad to say is now raining.

WESTBROOKS.

Mr. P. G. A. Tart lost his little girl, aged fifteen months, on the 31st ultimo.

The farmers of this section are hard at work and are in better spirits over the recent much needed rains.

Closing Exercising.

The closing exercises of Bellevoir High School, in Honeycutt's township, which for the last four years has been under the management of the present active and energetic Principal, J. D. Ezzell, took place on last Friday. Notwithstanding the disagreeableness of the day, there was a large crowd present. The exercises opened with speeches by the little folks and essays by the girls. Just before noon came the speech of State Auditor, Geo. W. Sanderlin. His plea to young men to become farmers and to young women to become farmer's wives, was able and convincing. It is unnecessary to say to those who have ever heard Mr. Sanderlin that his speech was delivered in a most fascinating style, teeming with wit, humor and fluent and appropriate anecdotes.

The dinner was excellent and bountiful, such as the liberal and hospitable people of that section always give.

In the afternoon came the declamations and debate by the representatives of the Literary Society. The medal, offered by Mr. W. A. Johnson, of Clinton, for best scholarship, during the year, was awarded to Miss Fannie McPhail, and very happily presented by Mr. F. R. Cooper, of the Clinton bar.

The exercises at night consisted of music and very amusing and laughable dialogues and recitations.

The Principal, on behalf of the trustees, announced at the close, that the school would open as usual next Fall. It is impossible to estimate the wonderful results of such a school in a community, and while Sampson now probably leads all other counties in the State in this respect, yet she needs at least a half dozen more such institutions.

Musical Soiree.

The entertainment at the Clinton Female Institute, Tuesday night, reflected much credit upon the institution and upon the teachers in charge and pupils in attendance. While we are by no means a connoisseur of music, yet, as an observer, we would say that the Musical Soiree by the young ladies under the direction of Miss Clagitt was quite a success.

The medal for improvement in music was awarded to Miss Bessie Partrick.

The medal for the highest grade in mathematics was awarded to Miss Cleone Hobbs.

The Latin prize was awarded to Miss Laura Stetson.

The medals and prize were all presented by the editor of THE CAUCASIAN.

The large honor roll, which was read by Mr. Anderson on behalf of Miss Anderson, the principal, showed that there were many worthy contestants in each race and, therefore, the prizes were not easily won.

Mr. Anderson stated that the music medal was given by a friend of the school, whose modesty would not allow his name to be given. As it is our business to find out everything and then tell it, we have learned since that the friendof the school was none other than Mr. W. A. Johnson, who also gave the medal for scholarship in Bellevoir High School.

Miss Anderson took her school on an excursion picnic to Elliot yesterday.

Joint Meeting of Commissioners and Magistrates.

On Monday, the 2nd inst., the Board of County Commissioners met in joint session with the Magistrates of the county and levied the county tax for the year 1889. The levy is as follows:

State Levies.	$100 Worth Prop.	Poll
General Purposes,	.25	.75
School,	.12 1-2	.37 1-2
Wounded Soldiers,	.03	.09
Total,	.40 1-3	$1 21 1-2
County Levies,	.26 1-6	.78 -12
Total,	66 2-3	$2 00

County levies under Schedules B and C Same as State.

Railroad tax for Clinton township, 20 cents on the $100 worth.

The election of a Board of Education next came up and the following gentlemen were elected: Maj. W. N. Patterson, A. R. Herring and R. R. Bell, the old board, with the exception of Mr. Bell, who succeeds Mr. W. B. Stewart, the latter having declined to be re-elected.

Magnolia Blooms.

A groupe of orphans, from the Oxford Orphan Asylum, gave a very enjoyable concert in the Baptist Church Wednesday, the 29th.

Mr. W. C. Taylor has accepted a position as operator at Black Creek.

Mr. P. J. Heath has charge of the wood house.

Mr. Joe Merritt and family, of Wilmington, spent a short while in our town last week. They are spending the summer at their country home, seven miles from here.

Esmeralda.

This well known play was admirably presented to a full house in Atkins Hall, last Friday night, for the benefit of the Baptist Church, by some of Clinton's histrionic talent.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Old Man Rogers—Will Slocumb;
George Drew—W. S. Thomson;
Dave Hardy—Z. E. Matthis.
Estabrook—Henry Hines;
The Marquis—F. R. Cooper.
Jack Desmond—L. A. Bethune.
Lydia Ann Rogers—Mrs. C. P. Johnson.
Esmeralda—Miss Addie Bizzell;
Nora Desmond—Miss Annie Giddens;
Kate Desmond—Miss Mary Thomson.

The manner in which each one performed hes (his or her) part, showed not only a proper conception of the character personated, but also more than ordinary dramatic ability. In short it was a decided success. Hon. Geo. W. Sanderlin, who was in the audience, enjoyed the play very much, and said that it would have reflected credit on any amateur company. By the way why not organize a regular amateur company here in Clinton and play every month or two for the benefit of various charitable and religious purposes? We have several persons with considerable dramatic, operatic and, we might say, tragical talent, who would we think, take part. The results, if properly managed, would be beneficial socially, intellectually, and benevolently.

About $35 was realized from this play, and if it had been repeated Monday night the receipts would probably have been larger.

Health, Etc., in Sampson.

The following report from Dr. J. A. Stevens, the Superintendent of Health of the county, appears in the North Carolina Bulletin of Health:

"SAMPSON.—Dr. John A. Stevens, Clinton. The general sanitary condition of the county is fair, but whooping-cough, measles, bronchitis, pneumonia and malarial fever with a few cases of diarrhœa and dysentery are the diseases to report this month. There has been an epidemic of hog cholera, and distemper among horses. Our poorhouse is in excellent sanitary condition; one of the twenty-three inmates can read and write and one gives evidence of successful vaccination. The sanitary condition of the jail is somewhat improved since last report, but intend to keep stirring the matter up until we get a new jail, which our present Board of County Commissioners have promised to do soon; of the three prisoners confined in jail at present two give evidence of successful vaccination and one can read and write."

"Zealous and Faithful."

The Biblical Recorder has the following to say of the late Rev. Mr. Spivey, so well known in this county:

"Rev. H. S, Spivey died at his home near Clinton, N. C., on the 13th of April last. Brother Spivey was born in Gates county, N. C., on the 5th of September, 1800; and for many years was a zealous and faithful minister of the gospel of Christ. He was well known and greatly beloved by a multitude of his brethren, having been pastor in many counties of the State. We met him for the first time at Ballard's Bridge church, Chowan county, in May, 1866, and learned to love and honor him for zeal and devotion to the cause of Christ. Most of his day and generation had gone before him and awaited his entering into the rest that remaineth. He leaves a son, Col. John G. Spivey, of Texas, and a devoted wife."

Timely Advice.

An ex-Sampsonian writing from Thomasville, Ga., has the following to say about young men leaving home:

"You would be surprised to know the number of letters I have received from young men in Sampson county telling me they are coming to Georgia this fall. Tell them for me to remain in North Carolina. I wish something could be done to stop them from leaving home. Tell them times here are much harder for young men without a trade than in North Carolina, unless they wish to do negroes' work. I hope something can be done to keep them in my native State. Very truly,

J. C. D. HERRING."

This is good advice and our young men who are thinking of leaving their native State should profit by the experience of those who have gone, and take their advice.

Robbery In Bladen.

TAR HEEL, May 29th.—A negro entered the house of C. W. Rice on the 25th inst. and threatening to kill Mrs. R. who was at home, if she attempted to make an alarm, began plundering the house. Mrs. Rice ran out of the house and the theif becoming alarmed ran off without getting anything of value, but he afterward returned, entered the house and, unobserved, carried off several articles of value. There is no clue as to who the rascal is.

NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the Sampson Co. Agricultural Society.

Having bid off the grounds and buildings of the Sampson Agricultural Society at a public sale, and as there is now business of importance to myself in that capacity and to the stockholders, as original owners, I take this means of calling a meeting of said stockholders, to meet in my office, in Clinton, Saturday, May 15th, at 11 o'clock. Every stockholder is urgently requested to attend.

Respectfully,

H. E. FAISON.

June 6th, 1889.

Closing Exercises of Clement Model School.

(Special Cor. Caucasian.)

SHEPARD, N. C., May 31st, '89.

The morning of the commencement, Friday, May 31st, was dark and rainy. A platform 16x10 feet was erected in front of the school building. Just after the last hard shower, were heard the last tones of the school-bell. About this time the roads were crowded with vehicles of every kind. In a short while more than 500 people were present to witness the exercises.

The exercises were opened with declamations by the small boys and girls. There were twenty-two declamations, three dialogues and twelve essays.

Senator E. W. Kerr arrived at half past 9 o'clock and was met by Messrs. A. E. Royal and L. H. Hayes, the marshals, who were mounted.

At the second toll of the bell the school was arranged to welcome the speaker. In front was hoisted a banner upon which was written "Progress, Clement Model School.

At half-past 11 o'clock dinner was announced. Many trunks, boxes and baskets were crowded with just such things as the good people of Dismal are able to furnish.

At half-past 12 o'clock, all were invited, by Capt. J. L. Autry, to meet in Clement church, and continue the exercises. We must say a word about this church, which is about the size of the Presbyterian church in Clinton, is without doubt the handsomest in Sampson county.

The President of the Society called the house to order and announced the next business in order.

The declamations were delivered by Messrs. J. J. Jackson and Franklin Carr. Their subjects were choice selections, and the young men well acquitted themselves.

Next followed Senator E. W. Kerr's speech, which was more than interesting. He took "A little of most everything" for his subject and held the undivived attention of an intensely interesting audience for more than an hour. His speech was one to awaken and increase county, state and national pride, and to awaken and increase a desire to know more of the world and its doings.

The discussion by the debaters was interesting. Query: "Which have been more Injurious, Pride and Ambition, or Ignorance and Superstition." A committee of three was appointed to decide the question. They recided in favor of the negative.

The Society then closed, and will meet no more till the first Friday in next August. The Principal then returned his thanks to the good people of Clement and adjoining sections for their respect and liberal patronage. He further announced that the second session of the school would open the first Monday in August, in a new building, which will be erected by the stockholders during the vacation.

Three new departments will be added to the school next session: Primary, Musical and medical. A lady of experience will have charge of the primary and musical departments. A skilful physician will have charge of the medical department.

After the announcements were made, all retired from the church and Mrs. G. I. Smith quietly arranged twenty-one girls in two straight rows. At the end of the line Mrs. Smith was seated with an accordeon. A signal was given for position and the class went through all the movements of Calisthenics.

At a given signal, after all were ready, a march was in order. The western sky appeared blue towards the close of eve, and as the gentle tones of sweet music come we were reminded that the execises were near at hand. Each boy, girl and horse, lifted a light foot to the music while marching. When the march closed the Principal appeared in front, and with a gentle bow announced to all "you are free."

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Colonel David Dodd.

Col. David Dodd was born about the date of 1730 and died about the date of 1818. He is a great grandfather of Rep. Dr. Willie Murphy and Mrs. Ann E. Murphy. He was Colonel in the Revolutionary war and fought bravely to gain the liberty for his country. There are some relics of Col. Dodd that are worthy of note. The house I now live in was built by him before the Declaration of Independence and was covered with cypress shingles which are now upon the house and sound. His grave yard post has been standing 80 years, and there is no sign of decay. I understand that Mrs. Ann E. Murphy has his arm chair yet. In the yard of the old homestead there is a white oak tree that measures 21 feet around one foot above the ground, and 19 feet at the limbs. Many of the limbs are near 50 feet in length. This tree is growing in that immense gravel bed, at Fisher's Mill Creek, of which we wrote a few weeks since. Col. Dodd's yard was of those beautiful pebbles. The lightwood stumps of 150 years of age are yet sound. There must be some preserving power in this gravel bed.

G. W. CAIN.

P. S. I have examined the gravel on the south side of the creek and find a large amount on this side in a quarter of a mile of the Point Caswell R. R. bed. The railroad companies might be benefited by examining this gravel bed.

A Card.

All overcharges in commissions, or freight, or delays in returns on produce shipped to B. C. Fuller, New York, will be PROMPTLY corrected as soon as communication is reopened with New York. Of this the shippers may REST ASSURED.

FRENCH MCQUEEN.

June 5th, 1889.

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When you wish an easy shave,
As good as barber ever gave,
Just call on me at my saloon
At morning, eve or noon;
I cut and dress the hair with grace,
To suit the contour of the face.
My room is neat and towels clean,
Scissors sharp and razors keen,
And everything I think you'll find;
To suit the face and please the mind,
And all my art and skill can do
If you just call, I'll do for you.

PAUL SHERARD,
The Clinton Barber.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief? Price 10 cents, 50 cents, and $1. For sale by DR. R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist. Clinton, N. C.

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Do you wish an Engine and Boiler cheap? J. H. Royal will give you a rare bargain in both.

How does T. M. Ferrell manage to sell Tobacco so cheap? Because "Hard to Beat" cannot be beaten.

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BARGAIN STORE.

Good Calico at 5 cents.

Ladies' and Gents' Collars and Cuffs; Crockery, Flower Pots, one and two gallon sizes, price 20 cents for large, and ten cents for small. 4-4 Bleaching at 7 cents.

☞Spectacles and Jewelry a specialty. B. F. POWELL'S.

Messrs. I. M. & B. F. Powell, prominent merchants in Columbus county, N. C., wrote us in July, 1887, that "Rev. Mr. T. C. Floyd gave his child one dose of Boykin's 'Worm Killer,' and the result was 367 worms. He wishes all interested to know it."

Bring your turpentine next Saturday to G. W. Bennett, who will pay you the highest market price.

"How to save money." Do you wish to know? Read our "ad." in another column.

M. E. HOBBS & BRO.

LA GRANGE, N. C., July, '87.

Mr. J. P. Joyner:—I gave my child one dose of Boykin's "Worm Killer," purchased of you. It brought 366 worms. I consider it the best worm medicine made. Respectfully,

J. W. THOMAS.

Ship your Huckleberries, Fruits and Truck to B. C. Fuller, of 194 Duane Street, N. Y. Stencils, cards and all necessary information may be obtained from M. E. Hobbs & Bro. Mr. French McQueen will be in New York after June 1st to look after the interest of North Carolina truckers.

I am now burning a kiln of 100,000 brick. They will be ready in ten days. Those needing brick would do well to examine them.

Respectfully,

C. T. BUTLER.

If you want Farmers' Alliance Tobacco, at 22 cents per pound, call and see us before you buy.

Respectfully,

M. E. HOBBS & BRO.

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F. R. COOPER, Clinton, N. C.

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Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loisette, 237 Fifth Avenue, New York, for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column.

We have just received a large supply of all kinds of circular, poster and flat cap papers. Also envelopes, note and letter paper, cards and invitation paper. We are prepared to do all kinds of work, from printing a common poster to school invitations and catalogues. Call in and see samples. Respectfully,

THE CAUCASIAN.

Quarterly Meetings.

I will attend the Baptist Quarterly Meetings for the colored race at the following times and places:—

Kenansville (1st Baptist church) 1st Sunday in May,
Clinton (1st Baptist church) 2nd Sunday in May,
Pilgrim Rest 3rd " " "
Big Piney Grove 4th " " "

REV. O. MILLER, Pastor.

Mar-21-1yr.

MARKETS.

CLINTON.

(Reported by A. F. JOHNSON)

Huckleberries,	5c
Corn, (new)	75
Peas,	1 00
Bacon,	10 to 12½
Chickens,	10 to 25
Eggs,	10
Beeswax	18 to 20
Butter,	20 to 25
Lard,	10 to 12½
Fodder,	1 00
Flour,	4 50 to 6 50
Hides,	03 to 70
Turpentine, (yellow dip)	1 90
" (Virgin)	2 00
Cotton,	9 3-16

WILMINGTON.

Spirits Turpentine,	35½ per gallon
Rosin, (strained)	75 per barrel
" (good strained)	80 per barrel
Tar,	$1 40 per barrel
Crude Turpentine, (Hard)	$1 60
" " (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	1 90
Cotton,	10½

Truck Market.

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, June 4th.

North Carolina beans very light, round selling at $2.50 to $3.00; Flat, $1.25 to $1.50. Market continues very firm on potatoes, selling from $3.00 to $5.50; Northern old advanced to day. Huckleberries 8 to 10. Cherries same.

G. S. PALMER.

NEW YORK, June 4th.

Beans, round, $2.50 to $3.00; flat, $1.25 to $1.50. Potatoes, $3.00 to $5.50. Huckleberries 8 to 10 cents. Cherries 8 to 10 cents.

Yours truly,

B. C. FULLER.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS — NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

At My New Stand!

Moved Yesterday, March 27th.

(NEXT DOOR TO HANSTEIN'S, ON WALL STREET, FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY W. H. STETSON.)

I have moved to a larger store so that I can carry a

Larger and Fuller Stock of General Merchandise

To meet the demands of my greatly increasing trade.

NEW GOODS COMING IN DAILY!

The same motto: "THE LOWEST POSSIBLE MARGIN," which has built up my trade, will be strictly observed in the future. Be sure to call in before buying. Respectfully,

T. M. FERRELL

W. R. KING & Co.

We take this means of saying to our friends all over the country that we are still at our OLD STAND, on Wall Street, offering

GOOD BARGAINS

In the Line of GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Always give us a call when you come to town, whether you wish to buy or not.

Respectfully,

W. R. KING & CO.

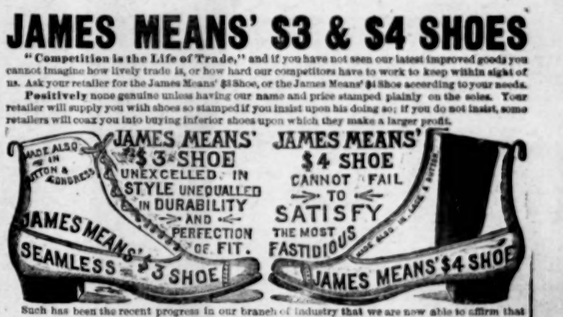
Remember that we cannot offer specialties, as some do, for all our goods are at the lowest possible price.

☞ATTENTION!—Come to our stand for Soda Water, Milk Shakes, Lemonade and Ice Cream

JAMES MEANS' $3 & $4 SHOES

"Competition is the Life of Trade," and if you have not seen our latest improved goods you cannot imagine how lively trade is, or how hard our competitors have to work to keep within sight of us. Ask your retailer for the James Means' $3 Shoe, or the James Means' $4 Shoe according to your needs.

Positively none genuine unless having our name and price stamped plainly on the soles. Your retailer will supply you with shoes so stamped if you insist upon his doing so; if you do not insist, some retailers will coax you into buying inferior shoes upon which they make a larger profit.


MADE ALSO IN BUTTON & CONGRESS
JAMES MEANS' $3 SHOE
UNEXCELLED IN STYLE UNEQUALLED IN DURABILITY AND PERFECTION OF FIT.
JAMES MEANS' $4 SHOE
CANNOT FAIL TO SATISFY THE MOST FASTIDIOUS
SEAMLESS
JAMES MEANS' $3 SHOE
JAMES MEANS' $4 SHOE

Such has been the recent progress in our branch of industry that we are now able to affirm that the James Means' $4 Shoe is in every respect equal to the shoes which only a few years ago were retailed at eight or ten dollars. If you will try on a pair you will be convinced that we do not exaggerate. Ours are the original $3 and $4 Shoes, and those who imitate our system of business are unable to compete with us in quality of factory products. In our lines we are the largest manufacturers in the United States.

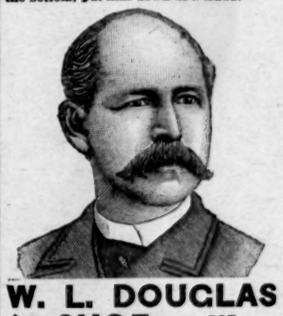
Shoes from our celebrated factory are sold by wide-awake retailers in all parts of the country. We will place them easily within your reach in any State or Territory if you will invest one cent in a postal card and write to us.

JAMES MEANS & CO., 41 Lincoln St., Boston, Mass.

FULL LINES OF THE ABOVE SHOES FOR SALE BY

STEWART & HINES, Clinton, N. C.

If any dealer says he has the W. L. Douglas Shoes without name and price stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.



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Best in the world. Examine his $5.00 GENUINE HAND-SEWED SHOE. $4.00 HAND-SEWED WELT SHOE. $3.50 POLICE AND FARMERS' SHOE. $2.50 EXTRA VALUE CALF SHOE. $2.25 WORKINGMAN'S SHOE. $2.00 and $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES All made in Congress, Button and Lace.

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Best Material. Best Style. Best Fitting. If not sold by your dealer, write W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS.

Examine W. L. Douglas $2.00 Shoes for gentlemen and ladies.

For Sale by M. Hanstein, Clinton N. C.

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A FORTUNE FOR YOUR FAMILY!

IF YOU DESIRE TO LEAVE YOUR FAMily $10,000 or more at your death, you can do so by

Paying Simply the Interest

on that sum at the rate of 3 to 6 per cent. per annum, even if you should die in 30 minutes after paying the first year's interest; and after you have paid this rate of interest for 20 years, if you are still living, the total amount thus paid

Will Be Returned

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H. I. MCDUFFIE, Agent
New York Life Insurance Co.,
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The New York Life is 44 years old. Has accumulated $35,000,000, and its income last year was over $25,000,000. my23—3m

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☞Round Shaves, Hacks and all Edge Tools made, and Repairing done on short notice.

Respectfully,

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Carolina Veneer Works!

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Respectfully.

A. F. JOHNSON.

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Madam! See what 15 cents will do! I will bring you a sample copy of Godey's Lady's Book, which will tell you how to get the Seal-Skin Sacque, the Silk Dress, the Gold Watch and Cottage Organ, and other valuables, without a dollar. You cannot get a better two dollars' worth of Magazine than by subscribing to GODEY, the best family Magazine in America. For 1889 it will contain Fashions in Colors, Fashions in black and white, latest from Europe, Original Novelties in Needle Work and and Embroidery latest and most popular Music, Plans for the house you want to build, Directions for decorating your home, Cookery and household helps, by Mrs. Chas. Hope, teacher in several fashionable New York academies, and selected by the Board of Education for the New York Public Schools. Literary enrichments by Nelly Bly, who got herself locked up in an insane asylum to find out how they treated the insane, Ella Rodman Church, Emily Lennox, Olive Lovell Wilson, Mrs. Hiestand, Edgar Fawcett, David Lowry, etc. Every Lady, her own Dressmaker, who subscribes to Godey's Lady's Book. The coupon which you will find in each number entitles you to our own selection of any cut paper pattern illustrated in Godey's Lady's Book. Your 15 cents. Sample copy will contain one of these coupons. The pattern shows you how to cut out the garment you want. That's all we can say in this space. For the rest see your sample number, for which send 15 cents at once. "GODEY" is only $2.00 a year. Address "GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK," Philadelphia, Pa.

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THE CAUCASIAN,
Clinton, N. C.

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FINE COLORS THAT NEITHER SMUT WASH OUT NOR FADE
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CHIEF OF POLICE—W. J. King.
JAILOR—Capt. Jas. H. Robinson.
COMMISSIONERS—W. S. Thomson, J. A. Ferrell, W. A. Johnson, J. H. Stevens, T. H. Partrick.

COUNTY OFFICERS:
SHERIFF—J. M. Spell.
CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT—J. S. Bizzell.
TREASURER—J. R. Beaman.
REGISTER OF DEEDS—O. F. Herring.
COUNTY SURVEYOR—Arthul Lee.
CORONER—Dr. A. T. Cooper.
BOARD OF EDUCATION—Maj. W. N. Patterson, A. B. Herring and W. B. Stewart.
COMMISSIONERS—Captain C. Partrick, J. C. Hobbs, J. M. Marshburn.
SUPERINTENDENT OF HEALTH FOR COUNTY—Dr. J. A. Stevens.
STANDARD KEEPER—W. K. Beaman.
SUPERINTENDENT OF COUNTY FARM—James Shipp.
SUPT. PUB. INSTRUCTION—Isham Royal.
L. C. Hubbard—U. S. Commissioner of the Eastern District of North Carolina.

POST OFFICE:
(C. P. Johnson, Postmaster.)
Mail going by rail leaves postoffice daily at 8:05 A. M., and 2:55 P. M., respectively. Mail going via Hobton, Newton Grove, Dunn, Beaman's X Road, etc., leaves 6:00 A. M., on Mondays and Thursdays. Mail going to Fayetteville, via Huntley, Blocker's, etc., leaves at 6:00 A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

CHURCHES.
Baptist,—Pastor, O. P. Meeks. Services, 1st and 3d Sabbaths of each month. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 7 P. M. Sunday school, Sunday, 3 P. M.
Presbyterian—Pastor, Dr. B. F. Marable, Services, 2nd and 4th Sunday's. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7 P. M. Sunday school, 9 A. M.
Methodist—Pastors, C. P. Jerome Services, (at Presbyterian and Baptist,) 1st Sunday 11, A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday school (in Lodge) every Sunday at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting (at Presbyterian church) Thursday nights at 7 P. M.
Episcopal—Rector, J. W. Turner, Services, Sunday, 11 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. Sunday school, 3 P. M.
Colored Baptist—Second Sunday in each month at 11 A. M., 3 P. M. and 7 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS:
K. of H.—A. F. Johnson, Dictator, meets every third Friday night at 8 o'clock.
Hiram Masonic Lodge—D. A. Culbreth, Master, meets every third Friday at 11 o'clock A. M.
Library of Clinton Literary Association over postoffice. Librarian, W. S. Thomson.
Clinton Loan Association—President, J. L. Stewart; Cashier, A. F. Johnson.
Railroad Depot—Agent, H. B. Chesnutt. Telegraph Operator—J. C. Holmes.
Y. M. C. A.—A. A. Butler, President. Meets in Courthouse every Monday at 7.30 P. M.

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JUDGES (Resident.)
4th District, Walter Clark, of Wake.
6th " E. T. Boykin, Sampson.
7th " J. C. McRea, of Cumberland county.

SOLICITORS.
4th District, T. M. Argo, of Wake.
6th " O. H. Allen, of Duplin,
7th " Frank McNeill, of Richmond county.

Times for Holding Courts for 1889.

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Graves.
Fall—Judge ———.
Wake—February 25th, March 25th, April 22nd, July 8th, August 26th, September 23d, October 21st.
Wayne—March 11th, April 15th, September 9th, October 14th.
Harnett—August 6th, Nov. 25th.
Johnston—August 12th, Nov. 11th.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Shipp.
Fall—Judge ———.
Pender—May 6th, September 9th.
New Hanover—April 15th, September 23d.
Lenoi.—August 19th, Nov. 11th.
Duplin—September 2d, Nov. 25th.
Sampson—Feb. 25th, April 29th, October 7th, December 9th.
Carteret—March 18th, October 21.
Jones—March 25th, October 28th.
Onslow—April 1st, Nov. 4th.

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Merrimon.
Fall—Judge Shipp.
Anson—April 29th, September 2d, November 25th.
Cumberland—May 6th, July 22d, Nov. 11th.
Columbus—April 1st, July 29th.
Robeson—May 29th, August 19th, September 30th.
Richmond—September 18th, June 3d, December 2d.
Bladen—March 18th, Oct. 14th.
Brunswick—April 8th, September 9th.
Moore—April 15th, August 12th, October 21st.

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CLINTON, N. C.,—JUNE 6, 1889.

Contagious Blood Poison

is the constitutional blood disease which has for several centuries past been infesting mankind with its annoying features and destructive results, and is now the great bane of the human race. This is the worst of all blood contagion, as the horrible poison is transmitted from one generation to the next, and even the third and fourth. We do not honestly believe that the terrible scourge has ever been cured and thoroughly eradicated from the human body by any other remedy than Swift's Specific, and we further say that Swift's Specific has never been known to fail to make a permanent cure in any case when it has been taken before any of the vital organs had become so impaired as to render a cure impossible.

Swift's Specific entirely cured me of a severe case of blood poison which obstinately resisted and refused to be cured for over 25 years. The regular medical remedies of mercury and potash only added fuel to the flame. I suffered during most of this long time with ulcers, blotches and sores of the most offensive character, and was for a long time practically an invalid. In less than thirty days use of S. S. S. I was all cleared up sound and well. This has been nearly a year ago, and no sign of any return of the old enemy.
JOHN B. WILLIS,
87 Clark Street; Atlanta, Ga.
☞Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.
THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,
Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

The Invalid's Hope.

Many seemingly incurable cases of blood poison, catarrh, scrofula and rheumatism have been cured by B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm), made by the Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Write to them for book filled with convincing proof.
G. W. B. Raider, living seven miles from Athens, Ga., writes: "For several years I suffered with running ulcers, which doctors treated and pronounced incurable. A single bottle of B. B. B. did me more good than all the doctors. I kept on using it and every ulcer healed.
D. C. Kimard & Son Towaliga, Ga., writes: "We induced a neighbor to try B. B. B. for catarrh, which he thought incurable, as it had resisted all treatment. It delighted him, and continuing its use he was cured sound and well."
R. M. Lawson, East Point, Ga., writes: "My wife had scrofula 15 years. She kept growing worse. She lost her hair and her skin broke out fearfully. Debility, emaciation and no appetite followed. After physicians and numerous advertised medicines failed, I tried B. B. B., and her recovery was rapid and complete
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$100 Reward. $100.

The readers of THE CAUCASIAN will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucus surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength, by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure.
Send for list of testimonials.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
☞Sold by druggists at 75 cents.

CONSUMPTION SURELY CURED.

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LOWEST PRICES!

Just let me surprise you with low prices:
Mens' Suits from $2.75 to $5.00; Boys' Suits $1.95; Mens' Suspenders 5 to 38 cents per pair; Calico from 4 to 6 cents; Mens' and Boys' Wool Hats from 18 cents to $1.00 each; Hosiery from 4 cents up. Also ten thousand other other things just as low Groceries in proportion.
Remember the place—sign
Cheap Store,
G. E. ALPHIN, Prop'r,
Clinton, N. C.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR BEST PEACH AND APPLE CIDER,
(Corner of Elm and R. R. Street.)

SWEET AND HARD CIDER always on hand. In addition to this pleasant and healthy drink. I keep
Tobacco, Snuff,
Flour, Potash,
Candies, Soda,
and Pea-Nuts
which are sold at lowest prices for cash. Respectfully,
THOS. GAUTIER.
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Needing a tonic, or children that want building up, should take
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigestion, and Biliousness. All dealers keep it.

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IN THE
POPULAR MOVE
To Put Prices Down.

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I have bought thirty-five cases of Straw, Fur and Wool Hats, direct from the manufacturers. I can sell you a single Hat for less than I would have had to pay had I only bought one or two dozen of a kind.

Now I must say a word for our Clothing Department. Every nook and corner is filled. I have not forgotten the little Boys; have Suits from $1.00 up. Come and see me and I will make it pleasant for you.

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King Hatter and Clothier.

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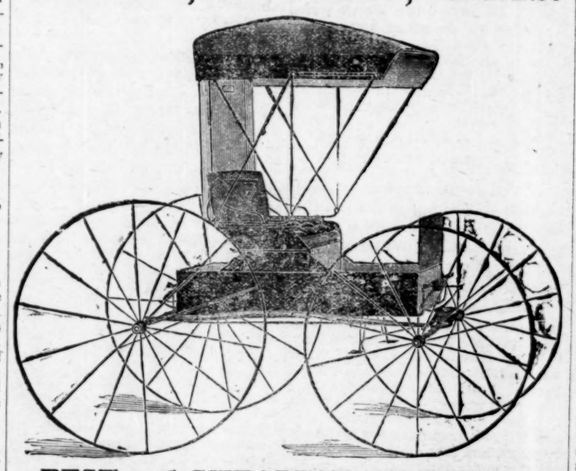

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LOOK AT THESE PRICES:

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GRADE 2.....$42.50.
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ROAD CARTS, $13.50.
☞CRATED ON BOARD CARS AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE.☜

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Calicoes from 5 to 8½ cents;
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A fine line of Gentlemen's Straw Hats at 50 cents and up;
Large line of Pant Goods, from 15 cents and up.
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A good Brogan Shoe for $1 00;
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Large Market Baskets 7 cents;
We will sell you a nice Upright Lamp (complete) for 30 cents.
A specialty in Flour—the "Blue Bird" and "Favorite"—fine grades. Come and examine at POPE & CULBRETH'S

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They have just received another lot of that good TOBACCO. The Price and Tobacco beats anything ever put on this market. Such Prices were never known before.
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M. E. HOBBS & BRO.

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Condensed Schedule

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED May 5, '89.	No. 23 Daily	No. 27. Fastmail Daily ex Daily. Sunday	No. 41. Daily ex Sunday.
Lv Weldon.	12 40 p m	5 43 pm	6 00 am
Ar Rocky Mt.	1 55 "	.....	7 10 "
Ar Tarboro.	*3 55 "	.....	.....
Lv Tarboro.	10 20 "	.....	.....
Ar Wilson.	2 27 "	7 00 pm	7 43am
Lv Wilson.	*2 37 "	.....	.....
Ar Selma.	3 40 "	.....	"
Ar Fayetteville	6 40 "	.....	.....
Lv Goldsboro.	3 20 "	7 40 pm	8 35am
Lv Warsaw.	4 16 "	.....	9 40 "
Lv Magnolia.	4 30 "	8 40 "	9 55 "
Ar Wilmingt'n	6 00 "	9 55 "	11 30 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No 14. Daily	No. 78. Daily.	No. 50. Daily ex Sunday.
Lv Wilmingt'n	12 05am	9 00am	4 00pm
Lv Magnolia.	1 21 "	10 13 "	5 40 "
Lv Warsaw		10 57 "	5 55 "
Ar Goldsboro.	2 25 "	11 52 "	6 53 "
Lv Fayetteville		*— "	
Ar Selma		11 40 "	
Ar Wilson		12 10 "	
Lv Wilson.	3 02 "	12 48pm	7 52 am
Ar Rocky Mt.		1 20 "	8 20 "
Ar Tarboro		*3 55 "	
Lv Tarboro		10 20 am	
Ar Weldon	4 30 "	2 40 pm	9 40 "

*Daily except Sunday.
Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Halifax for Scotland Neck 2 30 p m returning leaves Scotland Neck 8 20 a m, daily except Sunday.
Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh railroad, daily except Sunday, 5 05 p. m., Sunday 3 17 p. m., arrive Williamston, N. C., 7 20 p. m., 4 55 p. m. Returning leaves Williamston, daily except Sunday, 7 10 a. m., Sunday 9 50 a. m., arrive Tarboro, 9 15 a. m., 11 30 a. m.
Train on Midland, N. C., branch leaves Goldsboro, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a. m. arrive Smithfield, 7 30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield, 8 00 a. m. arrive Goldsboro, 9 30 a. m.,
Train on Nashville branch leaves Rocky Mt, at 3 00 p. m., arrives Nashville 3 40 p. m., Spring Hope 4 15 p. m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 10 00 a. m., Nashville 10 35 a. m., Rocky Mount 11 15 a. m., daily, except Sunday.
Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for clinton, daily, except Sunday, 6 05 p. m., and at 11 10 a m Returning will leave clinton at 8 20 a m and 3 10 p m, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41 and 40, 25 and 78
Southbound train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No, 51. Northbound is No, 50. Daily except Sunday
Train No 27, South, will stop only at Wilson Goldsboro and Magnolia
Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North, daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily, except Sunday via Bay Line
Trains make close connection for all points north via Richmond and Washington
All trains run solid between Washington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleeper attached
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J R KENLY, Sup't Trans.
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And advise you to buy from us.

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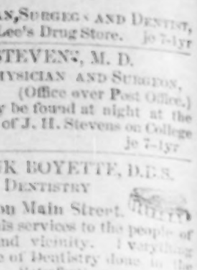

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